

Schley's Report Accompanies That of the Admiral.

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These parents continued with increasing speed by the Brooklyn, Texas and other ships and across the Brooklyn and the Oregon were within range of the Colon, when the Oregon spotted her with her 12-inch guns landing a shell close to the

"I cannot close this report without mentioning in high terms of praise the splendid conduct and support of Captain C. E. Clarke of the Oregon. Her speed was wonderful, and her accurate fire splendidly destructive.

"Very respectfully,

"W. S. SCHLEY.

"Commodore U. S. Navy, Commanding
Second Squadron, North Atlantic Fleet."

to the conditions and requirements of the men. The regular may not need more than an hour or two. The volunteer may need four or five hours per day. Meaning drill may last for an hour or it may last for two or more. It may include the synthetic exercises known as the "setting-up" drill. If that sort of thing be needed. It usually is. It is quite surprising to see what a lot of round-shouldered

business, his soldier, his shock or his farm, for the special purpose of fighting. The question of realizing the aim for which he enlisted is of supreme importance to him. He fronts over the daisy, envies those who have been ordered to the front, and the routine of the camp becomes a "devolution grind" from which he longs to be released. Because he is seldom a philosopher, the soldier generally misses

order. Rumors were circulated during the night, which, as it turned out, were without foundation. That history, which had occurred in Barcelona, Valencia, Madrid, Saragossa, and other cities. At the cabinet council in the evening, after the question of the preservation of public order had been discussed and measures for its maintenance had been agreed upon, the question of peace or war was taken

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ONE OF THE GANG PEACHED

by an Attempted Hold-Up in the Territory Failed.

Muskegon, I. T., July 26.—Five men attempted to rob the bank of Chequamegon, I. T., today, but one of the gang had notified the United States officials of the location of the money and they were met just outside of the city limits by about fifteen citizens of Chequamegon, well armed. A pitched battle took place, in which two of the robbers were wounded. Three were captured and will be brought to Muskegon to await trial. The other two, Miller and Crotty, the leaders of the gang, succeeded in making their escape.